AMENDMENT TO H.R. 256, AS REPORTED OFFERED BY M_.

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1	SEC. 2. STATEMENT OF POLICY.
2	It is the policy of the United States to provide assist-
3	ance to the Government of Israel in order to help enable
4	Israel to defend itself by itself and develop long-term ca-
5	pacity, primarily through the acquisition of advanced ca-
6	pabilities that are available from the United States.
7	SEC. 3. CONTINGENCY PLANS TO PROVIDE ISRAEL WITH
8	NECESSARY DEFENSE ARTICLES AND SERV-
9	ICES.
10	The President shall establish and update as appro-
11	priate contingency plans to provide Israel with defense ar-
12	ticles and defense services that are determined by the
13	President to be necessary for the defense of Israel.
14	SEC. 4. WAIVER FOR EXISTING OR IMMINENT MILITARY
15	THREAT TO ISRAEL.
16	Section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act (22
17	U.S.C. 2778) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
18	lowing:
19	"(1) WAIVER FOR EXISTING OR IMMINENT MILITARY
20	THREAT TO ISRAEL.—

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"(1) IN GENERAL.—Upon receiving information that Israel is under an existing or imminent threat of military attack, the President may waive the requirements of this Act and direct the immediate transfer to Israel of such defense articles or defense services the President determines to be necessary to assist Israel in its defense against such threat. Amounts obligated or expended to carry out this paragraph shall not be subject to any limitation in law, or provision of any bilateral agreement, relating to the amount of United States assistance authorized to be made available to Israel. "(2) Notification required.—As soon as practicable after a transfer of defense articles or defense services pursuant to the authority provided by paragraph (1), the President shall provide a notification in writing to Congress of the details of such transfer, consistent with the requirements of section



36 of this Act.".